

Mesa High School

Tom Horne, Superintendent of Public Instruction

ARIZONA SCHOOL REPORT CARD ACADEMIC YEAR 2006-07

1630 East Southern Ave, Mesa, AZ 85204

Mesa Unified District

Arizona's report cards have been revised to include requirements in the federal No Child Left Behind Act, such as Adequate Yearly Progress and the disaggregation of student level data into required subgroups.

AZ LEARNS¹

High School Achievement Profile (a)

2005-06 Highly Performing

2004-05 Highly Performing

2003-04 Highly Performing

(a) For additional information, please refer to Achievement Profiles Page near end of document.

School Overview

Principal/Administrator: Mr. Peter V. Lesar Schedule: 06:30 AM to 04:30 PM

Grades: 10-12

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Mission

The mission of Mesa High School is to: Establish high expectations; Promote personal accountability; Provide relevant learning opportunities; Create a motivational learning environment; Facilitate mastery of school, district and state standards.

No Child Left Behind

Adequate Yearly Progress (b)

2005-06 Not Met

2004-05 Met

2003-04 Met

School Improvement Status (b)

2005-06 N/A

2004-05 N/A

2003-04 N/A

(b) For additional information, please refer to the AYP page in this report card.

School / Academic Goals

- Ü Increase academic achievement in the area of reading.
- Ü Increase academic achievement in the area of writing.
- Ü Increase academic achievement in the area of mathematics.
- Ü 86% of the quality service surveys completed by parents and students rate their educational experience at Mesa High as an 'A' or 'B'.

Enrollment

October 1, 2005 School Year Student Enrollment: 2672

Accepting New Students in 2005-06 Under Open Enrollment Law : Yes Number of Students Attending Under Open Enrollment in 2005-06 : 110

		Instructional Programs
ü	Scholastic or Standard Diploma Option	
ü	Advanced Placement and Dual Enrollment	
ü	Standards Based Instruction	
ü	School-to-Work Opportunities	

Ü AVID/Gear-Up

Ü Service Learning Program

Ü Biotechnology Academy

Ü Sundown High School-Credit Recovery

Calendar Information

Number of Instruction Days: 180

Average Daily Instruction Time: 6 hours 0 minutes

First Day of School: 8/15/2005 Last Day of School: 5/25/2006

Shared Responsibilities

School

Mesa High is responsible for providing a safe, caring and challenging learning environment where all students can succeed academically and grow as young adults. We want to maintain open lines of communication regarding student progress.

Parents

Mesa High parents are committed to sending their students prepared to learn. They are supportive of a safe campus, the drug-free and weapon-free zones, and the enforcement of the school's behavioral expectations.

Transportation Policy

Busing is provided for all students who live more than two miles from the school to which they are assigned. Busing is not provided for open enrollment students. Specialized transportation for special education students is addressed in the IEP.

	School Honors								
Awards or Special Recognition Received By the School, Staff or Students									
	Award/Honor	Year							
ü	Class of 2006 Donated 68,000 Hours of Community Service	2006							
ü	2 National Merit Scholars	2006							
ü	5A Division I State Wrestling Champions	2006							
ü	27 Performing Art Students on All State Honor Ensembles	2006							

Arizona's Instrument to Measure Standards (AIMS) Results 2005-06 3

10th Grade

Mathematics	#	# Tested		%	% Tested		MSS		% FFB			% A			%	6 Met		% Ex	ceed	led	
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All Students	853	5040	71130	90	91	95	718	721	701	9	11	23	8	9	13	62	56	51	21	25	14
All Students (Prior Year)																					
Female	427	2490	35465	93	93	96	717	720	702	8	10	21	8	9	13	64	57	53	19	25	13
Male	426	2549	35648	87	89	94	718	721	701	10	12	24	8	8	12	60	54	50	22	26	14
African American	30	196	3868	83	86	95	693	704	686	13	15	33	20	16	17	63	57	45	3	12	6
Hispanic	339	1326	25103	88	90	95	700	697	685	15	23	34	13	14	16	64	53	45	8	10	5
Asian/Pacific Islander	15	126	1805	88	92	98	724	736	731	7	7	9	7	6	7	67	52	50	20	35	34
American Indian/Alaskan Native	14	170	4241	100	80	90	709	696	679	7	21	39	21	16	19	64	56	39	7	7	3
White	455	3222	36075	92	92	95	732	732	715	4	5	12	4	6	9	60	57	58	32	33	21
Students with Disabilities	39	232	5862	48	48	71	679	678	658	26	31	63	21	20	15	54	47	20	ΝĀ	3	2
Students without Disabilities	814	4808	65268	94	95	98	719	722	705	8	10	19	8	8	12	62	56	54	22	26	15
Limited English Proficient Students	61	259	4859	90	89	93	669	666	662	46	54	64	25	20	15	30	25	20	ΝĀ	NA	1
Migrant Students	NC	19	786	NC	79	95	NC	673	681	NC	47	38	NC	16	18	NC	37	41	NC	NA	4
Economically Disadvantaged	362	1673	22957	86	86	93	702	700	685	15	21	34	12	13	17	62	55	44	10	11	5
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	491	3367	48173	93	93	96	729	731	709	4	6	17	5	6	11	62	56	55	29	32	18

Reading	#	Teste	ed	%	% Tested		MSS		% FFB		}	% A			%	6 Met		% E	xceed	ded	
g	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	ΑZ	S	D	AZ
All Students	889	5144	73018	92	92	97	712	715	703	2	3	6	16	16	23	73	70	64	9	11	8
All Students (Prior Year)																					
Female	441	2530	36181	94	94	97	715	718	708	2	2	4	15	15	21	73	70	65	10	12	9
Male	448	2614	36816	89	90	96	708	712	699	3	4	7	17	17	24	73	69	62	7	10	7
African American	32	205	3976	89	88	96	692	701	689	3	4	8	25	21	29	69	71	59	3	4	3
Hispanic	358	1351	25801	90	90	96	690	687	683	5	8	10	28	31	34	65	58	53	2	3	3
Asian/Pacific Islander	14	122	1812	82	90	98	708	719	722	NA	4	3	14	19	15	86	66	66	ÑΑ	11	16
American Indian/Alaskan Native	14	174	4389	100	82	93	700	686	675	7	6	9	21	34	42	57	57	47	14	3	1
White	471	3292	37024	93	93	97	730	729	721	0	1	2	6	9	12	79	75	73	14	15	13
Students with Disabilities	51	309	7170	62	63	85	671	662	654	10	15	23	37	43	47	53	41	29	ÑΑ	1	1
Students without Disabilities	838	4835	65848	94	94	98	714	718	708	2	2	4	15	15	20	74	71	67	9	12	9
Limited English Proficient Students	64	265	5099	91	89	95	645	639	641	16	31	29	73	60	59	11	8	12	ÑΑ	NA	0
Migrant Students	NC	21	817	NC	88	96	NC	656	667	NC	14	15	NC	67	44	NC	19	39	NC	NA	1
Economically Disadvantaged	384	1752	23912	87	87	94	692	691	681	5	7	10	27	29	36	65	60	52	3	4	2
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	505	3392	49106	95	94	98	726	727	714	1	1	4	8	9	16	79	75	69	13	15	11

Writing	#	# Tested % Tested			ed	MSS			(% FFB			% A		9	6 Me	t	% E:	xcee	ded	
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All Students	895	5108	72810	92	91	96	688	690	685	4	4	6	28	27	30	63	63	58	5	6	6
All Students (Prior Year)																					
Female	442	2510	36111	95	93	97	699	700	695	2	3	4	19	19	23	71	69	65	7	8	8
Male	453	2598	36678	90	89	95	676	681	674	6	5	9	36	33	36	54	57	52	4	4	3
African American	33	199	3962	92	85	96	688	685	675	NA	4	8	33	29	33	64	64	55	3	4	3
Hispanic	361	1345	25735	90	90	96	673	668	669	8	10	10	39	41	41	50	47	48	3	2	2
Asian/Pacific Islander	14	124	1809	82	92	97	698	700	704	NA	3	4	14	19	19	86	66	65	NA	11	13
American Indian/Alaskan Native	14	173	4370	100	82	92	686	673	670	7	8	9	21	39	39	64	50	50	7	2	2
White	473	3267	36915	94	92	97	699	701	697	2	2	3	19	20	21	72	71	67	8	8	8
Students with Disabilities	57	260	7071	70	53	84	638	646	634	14	13	24	61	51	53	25	35	21	NA	2	1
Students without Disabilities	838	4848	65739	94	95	98	691	692	689	4	4	4	25	25	27	65	65	62	6	6	6
Limited English Proficient Students	66	262	5046	94	88	94	612	604	621	36	42	31	61	54	56	3	4	12	NA	NA	0
Migrant Students	NC	20	812	NC	83	96	NC	647	654	NC	15	15	NC	60	51	NC	25	34	NC	NA	0
Economically Disadvantaged	388	1746	23814	88	87	94	673	670	667	8	9	10	38	40	41	51	49	47	3	2	2
Non-Economically Disadvantaged	507	3362	48996	95	93	97	699	701	693	2	2	4	20	20	24	72	70	64	7	8	7

NC = Not Calculated (less than 10 students) Dashes (--) = No Data Available NA = Not Applicable S = School D = District

Recent Trends in Student Proficiency on the State Standards (AIMS Test)

10th Grade Proficiency



The graph includes the percentage of students that met or exceeded the standards. NC = Not Calculated. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), no individually identifiable references to students may be made. Therefore, items of data containing information about fewer than ten (10) students have been replaced with NC.

ADEQUATE YEARLY PROGRESS (AYP) FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2005-06

The table below shows the schools that met or did not meet based on federal AYP requirements. To meet AYP for the year, all applicable goals must be met.

	Met Percent Tested?	N
	Met Test Objectives?	Υ
AYP Determination	Met Attendance Rate?	NA
	Met Graduation Rate?	Υ
	Made AYP?	No

Glossary:

Adequate Yearly Progress

A measure of school performance as mandated by the federal government in the No Child Left Behind. AYP holds schools accountable for the performance of subgroups, as well as all students. AYP measures school toward the goal of having 100 percent of all students proficient in state standards for reading and math by 2013-14.

Met Percent Tested:

The school or district tested at least ninety-five percent (95%) of its students enrolled at the time of the test administration. Schools and districts must test at least 95 percent of their student in order to make AYP.

Met Test Objectives:

The percentage of students in the school or district that demonstrate proficiency in state standards by passing the AIMS test meets or exceeds the goal for that year. No Child Left Behind requires that Arizona set goals, called Annual Measurable Objectives, for the percentage of students passing AIMS for all public schools and districts in the state. The goals increase over time toward 100 percent passing by 2014. To meet the test objectives, every subgroup in the school must meet the Annual Measurable Objective.

Met Attendance Rate:

The school or district had an attendance rate of at least 90 percent over the first 100 days of the academic year. Schools and districts not serving high school students must have an attendance rate of 90 percent, or show a one-percentage-point improvement over the previous year, in order to make AYP.

Met Graduation Rate:

The school or district had a four-year graduation rate of 71 percent or greater. School or districts granting a high school diploma must have a graduation rate of 71 percent, or show a one-percentage-point improvement over the previous year, in order to make AYP.

For More Information on AYP, visit our website at www.ade.az.gov/azlearns and go to NCLB link

Achievement Test

No test data found for this school.

The Stanford 9 is a standardized, norm-referenced test. Since 1999, all students in grades 2 through 9 have been tested in Reading, Mathematics and Language. The percentage (%) of eligible students tested and the school's percentile ranks are listed above. State average percentile ranks for Arizona and District are provided for comparison. Note that the average percentile ranks for the nation are 50 for all content areas in all grades. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), no individually identifiable references to students may be made. Therefore, items of data containing information about fewer than ten students have been replaced with NC (not calculated) to protect student privacy. Some columns contain dashes (- -) to indicate "no data available."

	School	Site Council								
Council Composition			Council	Duties						
1 School Administrator(s)		ü Pa	arent/Educator Rela	tions						
0 Non-certified Employee(s))	üCı	Ü Curriculum Development							
6 Teacher(s)		ü Si	Ü Site Improvement							
6 Parent(s)		ü Sa	Ü School Safety Issues							
6 Community Member(s)		ÜG	uidelines for Studen	t Behavior						
6 Student(s)		Ü E	xtracurricular Travel							
Staf	fing Information	for School Y	ear 2005-06							
Position	Number	Ро	sition	Number						
Administrator	4.00		eacher	131.70						
Other Professional Staff	12.50		acher Aide	10.00						
			ool Year 2005-06							
Experience	Bachelor's	Master's	Doctorate	Other						
3 or fewer years	18	4	0	0						
4 to 6 years	8	5	1	0						
7 to 9 years 10 or more years	5 20	6 92	0 5	0 0						
	20	72	3	U						
High	nly Qualified (NC	LB) School Y	ear 2004-05							
Core academic classes taught by Highly Qual	ified (NCLB) teache	ers.	458							
Teachers with Emergency Certification.			0							
Percent of teachers in the school with Emerg	gency/Provisional C	ertification	0%							
Percent of core classes not taught by Highly	-		0%							
			1.011							
	Resources Ava		ool Site							
Ü Vocational/Technology Labs	Specia	al Facilities Ü Athletics								
Ü Performing Arts		Ü Traffic S								
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Ü National Honor Society	EXTRACULT	cular Activit ü Athletics								
Ü Academic Decathlon		Ü AVID								
Ü Vocational Educational Co-op Programs		Ü Service I	earning							
Ü Performing Arts			Government							
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	Socia	al Services								
Ü Job Placement Services										
Ü Counseling/Crisis Intervention Services										
Ü Alternative Education Programs										
Ü Breakfast/Lunch Programs										

Indicators of Success Based on Historical Data from 2005-06

School Achievements/Accomplishments 2005-06

- Ü Mesa High School has successfully achieved North Central Accreditation.
- Ü Eighty-five percent of our stakeholders gave Mesa High a grade of an 'A' or 'B' on the district's quality service survey.
- Ü Mesa students have increased performances on the AIMS and district tests as outlined on our site school improvement plan.

Student Activity Rates for School Year 2005-06

		Arizona						
	% School	% K-6/UE	% 7-8	% 9-12/US				
Attendance Rate 4	95	95	94	95				
Promotion Rate 5	83	89	88	73				
Graduation Rate ⁶	93	NA	NA	81				

NA = Graduation rate does not apply to K-8.

K-6/UE - Kindergarten to Grade 6 including Ungraded Elementary (UE).

9-12/US - 9th grade to 12th grade including Ungraded Secondary (US).

School Safety

School-level Efforts to Ensure a Safe and Healthy Learning Environment

Mesa High has an active program of prevention and enforcement through the collaboration of school, police and probation officials. We provide clear and concise student behavior guidelines and consequences. Students receive law-related education.

Total number of incidents that occurred on the school grounds for school year 2005-06 that required the intervention of local, state or federal law enforcement (A.R.S.15-746.6):

21

The Arizona Attorney General's Office has a hotline that allows students to report suspicious activities at schools and to get help with potentially violent situations, such as bullying, harassment, hate crimes, discrimination and gangs. The toll-free number, 1-877-900-1086, is anonymous and available 24 hours a day.

The Arizona Department of Education does not audit the information submitted by each school.

Contacts

	Name	Phone Number
School Site Council	Peter V. Lesar	(480) 472-5903
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Community Resources	Kay Opper	(480) 472-5918
School Nutrition Programs	Liz Ramirez	(480) 472-5938
Parent Organization	Rondal Jones	(480) 472-5903
Student Health/Nurse	Marilyn Brown	(480) 472-5917

The Arizona School Report Card was prepared by the Arizona Department of Education using a standardized format to combine information provided by the local school with data compiled from state records. Each school has special strengths and needs, and all schools benefit from the active involvement of parents in their children's education. If you have questions about the report card or need more information, contact the school office. Arizona School Report Cards can be found for all schools at www.ade.az.gov/srcs on the Internet. "The Arizona Department of Education of the State of Arizona does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, disability or age in its programs, activities or in its hiring and employment practices. If you have questions or grievances related to this policy, please contact the Administrative Services DAS at (602) 542-3186."

ACHIEVEMENT PROFILES

Arizona's Achievement Profiles capture the performance level of every school.

DEFINITIONS:

Failing to Meet the Academic Standards - needs to meet state performance and state progress goals.

School performance has been designated as Underperforming for three consecutive years and a site review determined that the designation of Failing to Meet the Academic Standards was warranted.

Underperforming - needs to meet state performance and state progress goals.

Performing - meets state performance goals.

Performing Plus - above state performance goals, however the number of students exceeding the standard on the AIMS test is not sufficient to earn a highly performing or excelling label.

Highly Performing - above state performance goals or has demonstrated adequate improvement, in addition a significant number of students have exceeded the standard on the AIMS test.

Excelling - significantly above state performance goals, in addition a significant number of students have exceeded the standard on the AIMS test.

TITLE I TERMS

Title I School Improvement Year 1

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for two consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and support to the school in its school improvement efforts.

Title I School Improvement Year 2

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for three consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and offer supplemental educational services to eligible students, and offer support to the school in its school improvement efforts.

Title I School Improvement Year 3 or Corrective Action

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for four consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and offer supplemental educational services to eligible students, and offer support to the school in its school improvement efforts. In addition, the school must choose and implement at least one of six corrective actions. See Section 1116(b)(7) of NCLB for a list of the corrective action options.

Title I School Improvement Year 4 or Restructuring (Planning Phase)

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for five consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and offer supplemental educational services to eligible students, and offer support to the school in its school improvement efforts. In addition, the school must prepare a restructuring plan and make necessary arrangements to carry out one of three restructuring activities. See Section 1116(b)(8) of NCLB for a list of the restructuring activities.

Title I School Improvement Year 5 or Restructuring (Implementation Phase)

A Title I school that has not made adequate yearly progress (AYP) for six consecutive years. Upon identification, the school must: notify parents/legal guardians of the school status; develop and implement a School Improvement Plan within 90 days of the identification; set aside 10% of the schools Title I funds for professional development for teachers and the principal; the district must offer parents the option of transfer and offer supplemental educational services to eligible students, and offer support to the school in its school improvement efforts. In addition, the school must prepare a restructuring plan and make necessary arrangements to carry out one of three restructuring activities. See Section 1116(b)(8) of NCLB for a list of the restructuring activities.

Footnotes

- 1 For an explanation of the Achievement Profiles, please visit our website at www.ade.az.gov/azlearns.
- 2 Under ARS 15-816, school district governing boards must implement open enrollment programs and establish policies covering admission criteria, application procedures and transportation provisions. For more information, contact the school district office.
- 3 Arizona's Instrument to Measure Standards (AIMS) includes the reading, writing and mathematics subject areas. The proficiency levels include: Falls Far Below (FFB) the standard, Approaches (A) the standard, Meets or Met (M) the standard and Exceeds (E) the standard. MSS = Mean Scaled Score. The federal law, No Child Left Behind, requires disaggregation in subgroups and ethnicity. NC= Not Calculated. Under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), no individually identifiable references to students may be made. Therefore, items of data containing information about fewer than ten (10) students have been replaced with NC. For more information on testing and Arizona Academic Standards go to http://www.ade.az.gov/AIMS/default.asp
- 4 Attendance Rate: Percentage of students attending the first 100 days of the academic year.
- 5 Promotion Rate: Percentage of students promoted to the next grade or who met graduation requirements and received a traditional diploma at the end of the 2004-05 school year. Percentage includes students who left school at age 22 or who had completed school and received a non-traditional diploma.
- 6 Graduation Rate: The graduation rate presented here is a 5 year cohort rate for the class of 2004. For more information on the Graduation Rate Study published by the ADE, please see our website at www.ade.az.gov/researchpolicy/grad.

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^{**} If total cost of printing = \$0.00, the school elected to only provide the electronic version of the report card.

^{**} Due to booklet size printing, print copies are produced in multiples of 4.